

SASKATCHEWAN OFFICIALS

Another indoor track and field season has come to a close. It was successful with 12 competitions including Regina hosting Can West University Championships and five Level 1 clinics. We welcomed 40 new officials to our ranks. In December, a number of our officials were awarded their levels 3-5. Congratulations to Alan Brown HJ5, Mark Gilchrist VJ4, Nancy Lamb VJ4, Derek Robinson HJ3, Mary-Stewart Torrie HJ3 and Rhonda Trembley FR3.

Enjoy your break between the indoor and outdoor season. To help plan your outdoor officiating here are the Sask Outdoor fixtures:

May 6	Spring Classic, Regina
June 2-3	Sask High School Provincials, Saskatoon
June 10-11	Sask Provincials, Regina
June 17	SOLE-stice Classic, Saskatoon
Aug 6-10	First Nations Sask Summer Games, Regina

A number of officials, although not all are confirmed, will be traveling outside the province for upgrading purposes and to assist Manitoba with the National Legions Youth Championships in Brandon MB.

A big thank you to the behind the scenes people coordinating officials for meets. Meets cannot run without your hard work. Athletes are able to achieve their goals with the help of our wonderful officials.

Thank you again and I look forward to seeing you this summer.

SASKATCHEWAN MASTERS

There are 74 athletes registered as Masters Athletes with Sask Athletics.

Forty-six Saskatchewan and seven Canadian records have been set or broken in the indoor season.

Indoor Saskatchewan records set/broken by athletes to be ratified are (others not listed were broken more than once by athletes):

Carol LaFayette-Boyd (W70) 50m-8.10 (CR), 60m-9.38 (CR);
Vi Mizuno (W65) Weight Throw-10.55m;
Muriel Gieni (W55) 50mh-8.84 (CR), Triple Jump -9.44 (CR);
Rhonda Tremblay (W55) 300m-52.01; 400m-1.13.91;
Kelly Silcox (W50) 60m-8.85, 200m-29.22;
Michelle Van De Meutter (W50) Weight Throw-10.68m;
Amanda Stalwick (W40) 60m-8.35;
Doug Renwick (M75) 300m-55.03, 400m-76.53, 600m-2:07.01, 800m-3:05.25, 1000m-4:02.43, 1500m-6:48.19, 3000m-14:55.63, 50mh-11.85 (CR), Pole Vault 2.10m), Pentathlon (3316 pts), Heptathlon 4232 pts (CR);
Art Battiste (M70) Weight Throw-12.68m;
Roland Delhomeau (M70) High Jump 1.30m, Heptathlon 2998 pts;
Dave Olsen (M60) 5000m-20:41.42;
Keith Meszaros (M60) 600m-1:45.89;
Chad Kichula (M40) 60m-7.58.

The Bob Adams Awards of Excellence for Masters 2016 went to **Amanda Stalwick** and **Doug McLaren**. **Kelly Silcox** and **Chad Kichula** were recipients of the Howard West Sports Award.

Athletes from Saskatchewan who attended the 2017 Canadian Masters Athletics Indoor Championships in Toronto March 19/20 included:

Doug Renwick (M75), **Carol LaFayette-Boyd** (W70), **Roland Delhomeau** (M70), **Dave Olsen** (M65) **Dale Lawrence** (M55), **Muriel Gieni** (W55) **Sandi Arnason** (W45), **Doug McLaren** (M40).

There were fifteen Meet Records (MR) set; four Canadian and nine Saskatchewan records and athletes returned with 24 Gold, 6 Silver and 3 Bronze medals. **Doug Renwick** was on 3 Relay teams that broke 2 Canadian Records and 3 Meet Records

The **2020 World Masters Outdoor Championships** will be held in **Toronto**.